dred and Twenty Five, entituled, An Act for the Relief and Release Session of poor distressed Prisoners for Debt; be and is hereby declared to Laws be repealed, made utterly void and of no Effect. (Saving always the Benefit of the said Act to all and every such Person or Persons who at any Time before the Thirtieth Day of June last, have applied to the Justices of any County Court within this Province, for the Relief therein prescribed; and have had the Oath therein mention'd administred to them.) And it shall and may be lawful to and for such Justices so applied to, and having administred the Oath within the Time aforesaid, notwithstanding this Act, to proceed to relieve and release any such distressed Prisoner, according to the Directions of the Act aforesaid, in the same manner as if this Act had never been made; any Thing herein contained to contrary, notwithstanding.

An Act reviving and continuing an Act entituled, An Act for 1726 Chap. X Regulating of Ordinaries.

Be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietor, by compilation, and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Community proprietor, by compilation, 1727, p. 293; and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governour, and continues the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the above-mentioned Act for regulating of Ordinaries, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the Twenty Eighth Day of May, Anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventeen; is hereby revived and continued to be and remain in full Force, from the Twenty Ninth Day of September next, until the End of the next Session of Assembly that shall happen after the said Twenty Ninth Day of September. and no longer.

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An Act for the further Encouragement of Tillage and Husbandry.

Whereas it is humbly represented to this present General Assembly, That sundry Families out of that Part of the Kingdom of compilation, Great-Britain, called Wales, would transport themselves and Servants into this Province, and settle on the Back-Lands, and follow Farming Business; but the great Charge that will attend in their Transportation, the Difficulty of procuring Land, and other Accidents incident to New-Comers are great Discouragements to such their Intention. For the better Encouragement therefore of the said Families to transport themselves and Servants, and settle in this Province, It is humbly prayed that it may be Enacted,

And be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietor, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governour, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That if any Person or Persons shall hereafter transport themselves, their Families and Servants into this Prov-

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